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NOTIFICATION

The Governor on the directives of the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India vide D.O.N.23011/57/2009-Policy dated: 22/01/2010 has been pleased to renew the Family Planning Insurance Scheme with effect from 01/01/2010 to 31/12/2010 with modified limits for cases of failures of sterilization as under, which would be applicable to all the acceptors of sterilization.

SECTION	COVERAGE	LIMITS
IA	Death following Sterilization in hospital or within 7 days from the date of discharge from the hospital	Rs.2 lakh
IB	Death following Sterilization within 8 - 30 days from the date of discharge from the hospital	Rs.50,000/-
IC	Failure of Sterilization leading/non-leading to child birth	Rs.30,000/-
ID	Cost of treatment upto 60 days arising out of complication from the date of discharge	Actual not exceeding Rs.25,000/-
II	Indemnity Insurance per Doctor/facility but not more than 4 in a year	Upto Rs.2 lakh per claim
Total liability of the Insurance Company shall not exceed Rs.14.00 crores under the policy in a year.		

The Insurance Scheme will be operated by ICICI Lombard General Insurance Company and the premium will be paid by the Government of India.

All persons undergoing Sterilization Operation in public health facility/accredited health facility in private/NGO sector are covered under the policy.

The acceptor(s) has to fill up a Consent Form at the time of enrolling himself/herself for Sterilization Operation and the same shall be the proof of coverage under the scheme.

The payment of death claim will be equally available to spouse and children to spouse and children of the deceased acceptor. In case the children are minor, the payment shall be made as fixed deposit in a Bank Account in their names to be payable on the date of their attaining majority. However, the interest accrued on quarterly basis shall be paid to the children through their parent/guardian. In case, there are no surviving spouse/children, the claim shall then be payable to the legal heir(s) of the deceased acceptor.

All the Doctors and all the accredited-doctors/health facilities of NGO and Private sector rendering Family Planning services conducting such operation shall stand indemnified against the claims arising out of sterilization death or medial complications resulting therefrom up to a maximum amount of Rs.2.00 lakhs per doctor/health facility per case.

BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR.

**V.B. PATHAK, IAS
COMMISSIONER-CUM- SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF SIKKIM
HEALTH CARE, HUMAN SERVICES & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT**